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SUBJECT: KMT NOMINATES CANDIDATES FOR TOP CONTROL
YUAN OFFICES

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1. KMT ON MARCH 7 NOMINATED YU CHUN- HSIEN AND CHOU PAI- LIEN AS ITS CANDIDATES RESPECTIVELY FOR PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT OF THE CONTROL YUAN. RESIGNATION OF 86 YEAR OLD ACTING PRESIDENT CHANG WEI- HAN WAS ACCEPTED AT THE SAME TIME.

2. KMT NOMINEES' ELECTION FROM CONTROL YUAN MEMBERSHIP IN MARCH 15 ELECTION APPEARS ASSURED. YU, 72, WAS ORIGINALLY ELECTED TO CONTROL YUAN WHILE DIRECTOR OF KWANGTUNG PROVINCE KMT HEADQUARTERS, IS A FORMER CENTRAL COMMITTEE MEMBER, AND HAS HELD SEVERAL POSTS DEALING WITH OVERSEAS CHINESE AFFAIRS. CHOU, 65, IS A TAIWANESE WHO SERVED AS ACTING TAIPEI MAYOR AND SUBSEQUENTLY LOST TO HENRY KAO IN THE 1964 ELECTION. HE IS A WELL- KNOWN TAIPEI- BORN M. D. WHO SERVED IN LOCAL COUNCILS FOR A GENERATION PRIOR TO BEING DRAFTED BY KMT TO RUN IN 1969 SUPPLEMENTAL ELECTION FOR CY.
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AS MOST PROMINENT TAIWANESE CONTROL YUAN MEMBER, CHOU WAS LOGICAL CHOICE FOR VICE PRESIDENTIAL NOMINA-

TION WHEN KMT DECIDED THAT VICE PRESIDENCY SHOULD BE
HELD BY NATIVE OF TAIWAN.
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